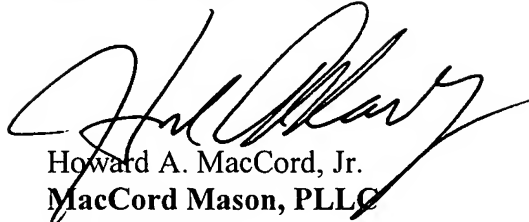


**Amendments to the Specification:**

Please change the title of the application to read as follows:

**ADAPTABLE, LOW COST AIR ~~BREAK~~ GAP AND FLOW CONTROL**

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Howard A. MacCord, Jr.", written in a cursive style.

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